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> 7th Sunday after Pentecost Sunday, July 7, 2024 Worship 9:00 am

Throughout the service, where you find an asterisk (*) you are invited to stand as you are able.

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Gathering

CONFESSION & ABSOLUTION* RED pp. 94-96 SHARING OF THE PEACE * OPENING HYMN * How Firm a Foundation **RED #796** APOSTOLIC GREETING * RED p. 203 KYRIF* RED pp. 203 HYMN OF PRAISE * Glory be to God in heaven RED p. 204 PRAYER OF THE DAY * See Celebrate

Word

FIRST READING (Response: Thanks be to God.) See Celebrate PSALM (Chanted responsively by whole verse.) See Celebrate Psalm Tone #11 RED p. 338 See Celebrate SECOND READING (Response: Thanks be to God.) GOSPEL ACCLAMATION (RED p. 205) & Gospel* See Celebrate

GOSPEL (Responses: Glory to you, O Lord./Praise to

you, O Christ.)

SERMON

HYMN OF THE DAY * We All Are One in Mission RED #576 HOLY BAPTISM RED p. 227 PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION * See Celebrate

Meal

OFFERTORY VERSE*

RED #184

RED p. 208

OFFERING Doxology *

> Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heav'nly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

OFFERTORY PRAYER*

GREAT THANKSGIVING & HOLY, HOLY, HOLY* RED pp. 206 -207

WORDS OF INSTITUTION *

LORD'S PRAYER * RED p. 208 LAMB OF GOD *

COMMUNION OF THE FAITHFUL

All baptized believers are welcome, including visitors, to the Table of the Lord! Wine (red) or grape juice (clear) is available.

COMMUNION BLESSING *

POST COMMUNION CANTICLE*

Thankful Hearts and Voices Raise **RED #207**

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION *

Sending

BLESSING * (Response: Amen.)

CLOSING HYMN * In Christ Called to Baptize **RED #575**

DISMISSAL * (Response: Thanks be to God.)

POSTLUDE

Our congratulations to Nicholas & Kristie Sheleman and to their family & friends. Nicholas & Kristie's son, Mason, will be baptized into Christ this morning.

Today we welcome into membership at Our Saviour, Cheryle & Doug Schreffler. Cheryle & Doug, we are blessed to have you join our church family.

Help us keep an updated prayer list. If you have placed an individual on our prayer list, please remember to notify the office when that individual can be removed. Thank you.

Carol Ranck, Dennis Hocker, Larry Wilt, T. J. Johnson, Marian Wilson (Otis's sister), Mick Mortiz (Sandy's father), Jeannette Bennett (Anneke Fleming's friend), Marietja Koning (Anneke Fleming's twin sister) Monique Pollard (Anneke's Fleming's friend), Grace Wolf, Eric Chubb, Patsy Bauman, Marilyn Hocker, Randy Brittelli (Linda Schreier's son), Merle Beachell, Linda Freed, Adam Mazur (Linda Schreier's godson), Pastor Joel, Jennifer Dupilka (Linda Schreier's granddaughter's mother), Abby Keith, Anneke Fleming, Marianne McCann, Nedda Pollock family, Betty Nickle, Carol Gerig, Robin & Richard Walker (friends of Margo Whittaker), Betty Hammell, Jason Ziegler (friend of T.J. Johnson), Pastor John Schaertel, Miriam Reinard, Dottie Koppenhaver, Tracy Burigana (Jesse's father), George Schreffler, Katherine Keister (friend of Nancy Pinko), Tina Stark (friend of Linda Schreier), Eileen Cera (friend of Linda Freed), Sara Dooley (Logan family member), Jacqueline Neil (Brad's mother), Nancy Staab (Joan Bateman's sister), Patti Spirk (Logan family friend), Janice Mixell (Jesse Burigana's grandmother), Tommy Weldon, Scott Schneider (Herb Logan's co-worker), Joyce Hrestack (Joel Hain's ex-wife), Yolanda Barron, Grace & Leroy MacMurtie (Hope Bowling's parents), Mike Boyer (friend of Buriganas), Deb Nickle (Betty Nickle's daughter-in-law), Marion Tosheff, Mary Louise Shuler, MaryPat & Aaron MacMurtie (Hope Bowling's family members), Todd MacMurtie (Hope Bowling's nephew), Lisa Tosheff (Marion's daughter-in-law), Russ Kolacek (Tom Snyder's son-in-law), Tiffany Crosby, Annabelle Paul, Betty Giovaninello (friend of Linda Schreier), Barbara Hammell (Betty's daughter), Bishop Dunlop.

Pray for our military, especially Ian Bowling, Robert McCann, Jason Nunez, Reed Pollock, Jack Pollock, Maxwell Reilly, Myles Reilly, & George Schreffler, III.

Pray for our shut-ins, especially Shirley Kaltreider, Dottie Koppenhaver, Miriam Reinard, Ed Seneca, Tom Snyder.

MISSION STATEMENT

Our Saviour Lutheran Church, a caring congregation dedicated to the word of Christ welcomes all people to worship and grow with us as we share His love and salvation with our neighbors, our children and ourselves.

WELCOME TO OUR SAVIOUR TODAY

- Welcome pads are on the pews at the center aisle; please sign and pass to your neighbor. Please include any changes.
- Please put your cell phones on quiet mode.

The bulletins today are sponsored in honor of Penny Zimmerman's birthday.

TODAY

9:00 am Reader Joel Hains

Ushers Kathy & Bill Sheetz
Communion Assistants Alice & Jim Lubrecht

Counters Herb Logan,

Nadine & Otis Martin

NEXT SUNDAY, July 14, 2024

9:00 am Reader Marilyn Chubb

Ushers Donna Miller

Communion Assistants Jeanette & Herb Logan

Counters Donna Miller,

Sara Smith, Sandy Moritz

UPCOMING EVENTS

Today 9:00 am Worship

1st Sunday Social

Monday, July 8 6:30 pm Mutual Ministry Meets

Council committee reports due

in the office

Wednesday, July 10 6:00 pm Council

Sunday, July 14 9:00 am Worship

Mutual Ministry

The congregation's Mutual Ministry Committee is scheduled to meet this Monday, July 8th (TOMORROW!), at 6:30 pm. If you have items of concern for discussion, please feel free to share them with one of the committee members. Members of the committee include Brad Neil, Nedda Pollock, Deb Flage, and Pastor Joel. Thank you.

July/August Newsletter

For those of you who do not have e-mail, your July/August edition of our newsletter in now in your mailbox.

GermanFest! Saturday, September 7th – How you can help?

Volunteers are needed to help – set up (after service Sunday, September 1st), prep food (September 4th, 5th, & 6th), bake sale set-up (September 6th in the evening), work the festival September 7th, and help to clean up after 3 pm. Sign-up sheets are now in the Narthex.

GermanFest Bake Sale Table

We are asking for donations for the Bake Sale table – cookies, brownies, cakes... There is a sign-up sheet in the Narthex if you would like to contribute any baked goods. Any questions should be directed to Sandy Moritz, Bake Sale Table Coordinator. Thank you!

German Fest Silent Auction

It's time to begin preparation for this year's GermanFest event. With that in mind we are in need of donations for the Silent Auction. Beginning on July 7th and going until September 1st until 2:00pm, donations can be dropped off in the Youth Room. Donations need to be either new or in like new condition. When dropping off your item(s) please attach the form that you will find on the table (in the Youth Room) to your donation(s) so that we have all the proper information that is needed from you. Please see the July/August Newsletter for more detailed information or see me with any questions. Thank you! Jenna Youngblood, Silent Auction Coordinator

Building Update

The heating unit in the music room/old social hall (back room) no longer works and had to be replaced. The new heater cost was \$2,057. If you would like to donate towards this church expense to

help us cover this cost please use the green and white envelopes located in the pews or out on the table in the narthex and mark it 'Heater'. All donations are greatly appreciated. Thank you.

A Little Reminder

If you use the "Designated Offering" envelopes that are in the pews & on the table in the Narthex for any contribution(s) **PLEASE** write your name on the envelope (space to do so is on the back) so they are recorded correctly on your giving statements. THANK YOU!!

Manna Food Pantry

Our "2nd Sunday" food collection is still ongoing. During this time of continuously rising food prices, food pantries are seeing a greater demand of their services. If you would like to donate you may bring your items into the church & place them on the table in the Narthex at any time. There is a list of suggested items now on the table. If you would like to make a monetary donation, please mark your envelopes "Manna Food Pantry", and place it with your regular giving envelope.

Sponsorship of Sunday bulletins for 2024

Sign-up sheets to sponsor our Sunday bulletins are on the bulletin board & **there are still a few open dates** in 2024! The cost to sponsor remains \$12.30.

Donations Please!

The Welcome Committee is asking for donations for our 1st Sunday Socials. If you would like to donate baked goods please sign up on the sheet that is on the Welcome Committee bulletin board directly beside the main entrance door in the Narthex. Thank you!

Updating Our Prayer List

Please look over our prayer list & if you have someone that is on the list but is no longer in need of prayers, please inform the church office (phone call or e-mail) or you may take today's bulletin, cross their name off & place it in Barb's church mailbox (top row, left hand side).